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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 15, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 10 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: